

1 IN THE SPECIFICATION

2 Enclosed with this preliminary amendment is a clean copy of a substitute specification
3 labeled Exhibit "A," submitted under 37 C.F.R. §1.121(b)(3) and §1.125(b) together with a
4 marked up version of the substitute specification labeled Exhibit "B." The Applicant requests
5 that the English language translation of the specification filed herewith according to 35 U.S.C.
6 371(c)(2) be replaced with the enclosed substitute specification of Exhibit "A." The Applicant
7 believes that the substitute specification is fairly based on the original disclosure and includes no
8 new matter. The amendments included in the substitute specification are formal in nature and
9 made merely to place the case in a format more in keeping with U.S. practice. The description of
10 Figure 2 has been modified slightly in accordance with the amendment to that figure described
11 below.